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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

Docket Number (Optional)  
443-17

In re Application of	Masaaki Yamanaka et al.	
Application Number	08/855,905	Filed 5/14/97
For SYNTHETIC PAPER MADE OF STRETCHED POLYPROPYLENE FILM		
Group Art Unit	1773	Examiner kruer, Kevin R.

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.

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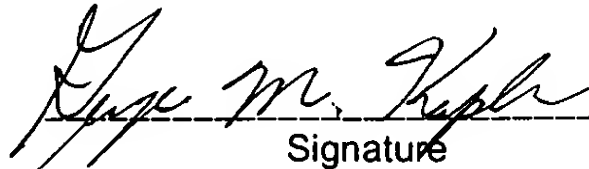
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- ☐ assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71.  
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- ☐ attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34(a).  
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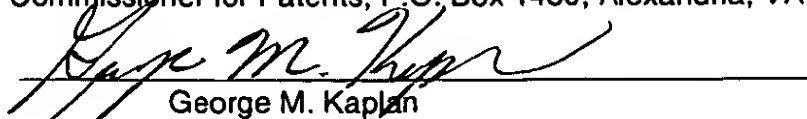
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